

## IN THE KINGDOM OF TANEY

To CORRESPONDENTS.—The Republican wants news items, not essays—tell it down. To secure insertion communications should reach us not later than Tuesday night. If your neighborhood is not represented in our columns send us the news, written on one side of the paper, and look for stationery. Sign your name, not necessarily for publication but as an evidence of good faith.

### Images From Ira.

Correspondence to the Republican.

Miss Maud Mints is home again from a trip to Colorado, where she and Mr. Mints have been hunting a location.

Born, August 5, to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Walter, a bouncing baby girl, weighing eight pounds. All parties concerned doing well.

August 20. COUNTRY LASSIE.

### Pine-top Bouquet.

Correspondence to the Republican.

We are not all dead here yet, so I will send you a few items to let you know what we are doing.

Plenty of rain and hot weather.

Everything lively at the saw mill.

James Alsup is still busy threshing.

Carson Hepper, of Harrison, is visiting here.

Miss Lou Blankenship is visiting at Denver, Arkansas.

Mrs. Rebecca Myers was in Harrison last week on business.

B. L. Cummings and wife spent last Sunday in Burlington.

Married, at high noon Wednesday, Mr. Ed Cross and Miss Laura Huff.

J. W. Powers has opened a singing school here and has several scholars.

Mrs. W. E. Rump and Mrs. Myers spent a few days at Forsyth last week.

Mr. W. A. Bell has just arrived from Springfield with a load of goods for the store.

Prof. J. W. Blankenship and wife spent Saturday at the picnic at Branson and report a fine time.

Miss Laura Campbell, of near Kirbyville, is attending Mrs. Brooks, who has been sick for some time.

Several from here expect to attend the reunion at Kirbyville and the picnic at Omaha this week.

Mrs. Sol Wheeler and family have been visiting her parents near Kirbyville, returning Saturday.

John Humphrey and Ed Moore went home sick last week, Mr. Moore returning a couple of days later.

T. M. McAdoo, of Springfield, called here Tuesday.

A RESIDENT.

August 20, 1903.

### Brown Branch Brevities.

Correspondence to the REPUBLICAN.

Plenty of rain.

Health generally good.

I. F. Adams and Bud Sherrod have gone to Ozark on business.

There have several herds of cattle through here last week on their way to market.

Mrs. Lucy Gower and sons, of Dallas county, are visiting friend and relatives near here.

Mrs. Julia Sibcy, of Seymour, came down the first of the week and rented her farm to Jonathan Boggs.

Bud Hicks was taken ill Saturday and took an overdose of calomel, which came very near proving fatal.

Henry Cunningham has sold his farm on Dry Caney to Mr. Beard, of Christian county, for the sum of \$800.

Ben Siler, of Rogersville, is visiting relatives in this part. He is going to work on the new railroad in a few days.

Dora Siler is confined to her bed with something like fever. She has resigned as teacher of the Bethel school, and owing to the scarcity of teachers they are unable to hire another at present.

Mr. Parkey has been warning out hands in School district, No. 17, the late rains having cut up the roads very badly in places.

A SUBSCRIBER.

August 16, 1903.

### Cedar Creek.

Correspondence to the Republican.

Miss Lelia Ireland departed some time ago from this vicinity for Carthage, where she contemplates entering school.

Mrs. Lula O'Neal has been seriously ill for the past few days. A speedy recovery is desired by friends and relatives.

Bedford Coble, a factor of the firm of Walter Coble & Co., is talking of making a pleasure trip to Springfield in the near future.

Quite a mad-dog scare in this vicinity last week. It is reported that about \$300 worth of stock was bitten by the savage beast as he made his run of ten or twelve miles. He was assassinated near Groom postoffice by T. L. Toot.

Our school is progressing nicely, under the keeping of Prof. W. L. Johnson. We are proud of the directors'

decision in making such a choice. Prof. Johnson is not only a man of intellectual ability, but morally as well, being one of Taney county's most successful teachers for a number of years.

Ezra T. Whelchel, aged eighty-four, while getting wood a short time ago, was struck by a flying stick, and seriously hurt. He thinks at least a rib is broken. It is to be hoped that the elderly gentleman will soon recover. He finds it very tiresome, as he reports very little illness during his former life.

The little separator, owned by L. T. Cornett and being maneuvered by Ira Barber, has very successfully and satisfactorily finished shelling the golden grain from the sheaf in this locality, and has gone on its way doing the good work. Ira must be an optimist, as the boys say "he don't seem to know when night comes."

S. D. Whelchel, after spending three weeks in Kansas City and the wheat belt of Kansas, returned home a short time ago, accompanied by J. W. Bennett, of Taneyville, who had been employed for the last four months by the Missouri and Kansas telephone company of Kansas City. He states that wheat is damaged some by heavy rains, yet, has seen twelve machines running in sight at once, and that threshing will continue until Christmas.

Aug. 20. PRISCILLA.

### A Swan Song.

Correspondence to the Republican.

Martha Johnson is still on the sick list.

Wm. E. Burger departed today for Marionville.

W. H. Wilcher made a business trip to Sparta this week.

L. W. Snell has been attending the reunion at Sparta this week.

Warm, sunny days and cool nights are causing much sickness.

L. N. Johnson has put an iron fence around the grave of his son James.

Quite a number of our people met and cleaned up the cemetery yesterday.

Lewis Byers and family, of Harbor creek, are visiting with R. C. Moon.

James Wood and Mark Hanna have gone back to Coplin to work in the mines.

J. L. and W. T. Cook and N. E. Burger went to Springfield on business today.

George Burger, of Hodge creek, had his old family horse kicked so badly she had to be killed.

Alva Hammonds has returned from Omaha, Ark., where he has been working on the tunnel.

Mrs. W. S. Dipley and three sons have typhoid fever. Dr. Robertson, of Ozark, is waiting on them.

Mrs. Mary Gibson and her three children have been sick for the past week with bilious fever.

S. N. Daugherty has gone to Walnut Shade on a fishing expedition—more probably a "wild goose chase."

August 22. AGRICOLA.

Circuit court is in session at Ozark.

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"The tract of land described as follows: Beginning at the south corner of section 14, town 14, range 14, and running west 10 rods, thence north 90 degrees west 22 rods, and so forth, see 23, town 14, range 14."

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz.:

J. W. Gibson, R. H. Compton, Z. Dunn and V. Dunn, all of Cedar Creek, Missouri.

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